

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. – 4. (Cancelled).

5. (Currently amended) A granulated product, wherein the product comprises a ~~composition produced by a granulation process with at least~~ a compound with poor wettability and a surfactant, ~~and~~ the weight ratio of the surfactant to the compound is about 0.001 to less than 0.1, ~~and wherein at least 35% by weight with respect to the total weight of the product does not pass through a 100-mesh sieve, and said product is prepared by any one of (i) to (iv) below:~~

(i) a production method comprising mixing at least the compound with poor wettability and the surfactant, adding thereto water or an aqueous solution of a binder, kneading the mixture, and compressing the kneaded product to give granules;

(ii) a production method comprising mixing at least the compound with poor wettability and the surfactant to give a mixed powder, and spraying thereon water or an aqueous solution of a binder while agitating, tumbling or fluidizing the mixed powder to coat the mixed powder and give granules;

(iii) a production method comprising preparing a composition containing at least the compound with poor wettability, kneading the composition while adding thereto water or an aqueous solution of the surfactant and a binder, and compressing the kneaded product to give granules; or

(iv) a production method comprising preparing a composition containing at least the compound with poor wettability, and spraying thereon water or an aqueous solution of the surfactant and a binder while agitating, tumbling or fluidizing the composition to coat the composition and give granules.

6. (Previously Presented) The granulated product according to claim 5, wherein the weight ratio of the surfactant to the compound is about 0.005 to about 0.05.

7. – 21. (Cancelled).

22. (Previously Presented) The granulated product according to claim 5, wherein the product has an angle of repose of 45° or less.

23. (Previously Presented) The granulated product according to claim 5, wherein the product has an angle of repose of 40° or less.

24. (Previously Presented) The granulated product according to claim 5, wherein the product has an angle of repose of 35° or less.

25. (Currently Amended) The granulated product according to claim 5, wherein the weight ratio of additives components in the granulated product other than the compound with poor wettability and surfactant with respect to the total granulated product is about 20 to about 60% by weight.

26. (Previously Presented) The granulated product according to claim 5, wherein the product further contains a binder, and the weight ratio of the binder with respect to the compound is about 2 to about 5%.

27. (Previously Presented) A molded product made by molding the granulated product according to claim 5.

28. (Previously Presented) A molded product made by molding the granulated product according to claim 6.

29. (Previously Presented) A molded product made by molding the granulated product according to claim 22.

30. (Previously Presented) A molded product made by molding the granulated product according to claim 23.

31. (Previously Presented) A molded product made by molding the granulated product according to claim 24.

32. (Previously Presented) A molded product made by molding the granulated product according to claim 25.

33. (Previously Presented) A molded product made by molding the granulated product according to claim 26.

34. (Cancelled).

35. (New) A fluidized bed granulation process for preparing a granulated product, in which the granulated product comprises

(i) a compound with poor wettability which is about 40 to about 80% by weight, relative to the total granulated product, and

(ii) a surfactant whose weight ratio is about 0.005 to about 0.05 with respect to the compound, the process comprising:

mixing (i) the compound with poor wettability and (ii) the surfactant.

36. (New) The method according to claim 35, wherein at least about 35% by weight of the granulated product with respect to the total weight of the product does not pass through a 100-mesh sieve.

37. (New) The method according to claim 35, wherein the fluidized bed granulation process further comprises using a binder solution containing the surfactant, and the concentration of the surfactant in the binder solution is about 1 to about 1,000 mmol/L.

38. (New) The method according to claim 37, wherein the concentration is about 10 to about 100 mmol/L.

39. (New) The method according to claim 35, wherein the compound is a pharmaceutical compound.

40. (New) A method for preparing a molded product, comprising molding the granulated product obtained by the method according to claim 35.